

Exhibit E

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• #6 Splash Pad

I know a flow-through water system for the splash pad is a lot less expensive and requires much less maintenance than a re-circulating system, but how can the town consider wasting enormous amounts of single-use water with a flow-through system, and then turn around and fine homeowners up to \$500 for watering their lawns on the wrong date or at the wrong time?

And if the drought gets worse, we could find restrictions limiting watering to just one day a week, as has happened on the west coast of Fla. Might that cause the splash pad to be completely shut down?

I read about another splash pad water system, **called Retain & Repurpose**, which re-uses the water for irrigation, rather than a one-time use it and waste it.

- I see in the agenda documents that a splash pad construction contract has to be awarded by Dec 31. That's 4 & a half months away.
When you ask for bids, please request them for all three systems: Flow-through, Recirculating, and Retain & Repurpose.

#9 MASTER FEE SCHEDULE - LIBRARY ROOM RENTAL FEES

From Zero to:

<u>Room Rental</u>	
<u>Large Study Room - 1 hour minimum</u>	<u>\$25.00 per hour</u>
<u>Schuyler Room - during operating hours. 1 hour minimum</u>	<u>\$75.00 per hour</u>
<u>Schuyler Room - outside of operating hours. 1 hour minimum</u>	<u>\$100 per hour, plus staff fee</u>
<u>Staff Fee</u>	<u>\$40 per hour</u>
<u>Refreshment Fee – applies when renter wishes to serve food/refreshments.</u>	<u>\$50.00</u> !

I'm voicing my objection to these fees. Folks are already having a tough time making ends meet. At least wait until after the Nov vote to see what happens with property taxes.

The Palm Beach County library system has no rental fees or clean up charges, even for their largest rooms, & it doesn't charge a fee for bringing in your own refreshments.

Martin County's library room rental charges depend on the size of the room, AND if the room is for a non-profit or for a for-profit group. Their conference rooms for up to 25 people are only \$10-\$20 per hour and their large rooms for up to 183 people are only \$25-50 per hour.